

## As a flock owner, one of your primary goals is keeping your birds healthy...

To help you achieve this goal, the Indiana State Poultry Association & partners have created a **FREE** flock evaluation program.

The Indiana State Poultry Association is providing an opportunity for a free flock evaluation. The voluntary testing program, referred to as Indiana's Test Twelve (12) Program, monitors Avian Influenza through a simple antibody test from your hens' eggs. The T-12 test is specifically designed for chickens, but not other types of poultry. Results may aid in assessing the health status of the birds, but should not be used as a diagnostic test.

To participate, contact the ISPA for a **FREE** egg mailing kit. Upon receiving the kit, collect 12 eggs and return them to the ISPA in our postage paid package. The results of the test will be mailed to you, along with a free gift for participating! In addition, information on other common avian diseases as well as biosecurity information is provided free of charge.

NOTE: As this is a <u>monitoring</u> test only, the results are for the poultry owners benefit and cannot be used to certify egg quality or as a replacement to poultry health papers. Due to the nature of the T-12 test, the ISPA cannot predict a specific date for the results.

If a specific test needs to be performed for diagnostic purposes or an exhibition/show, please contact the Purdue Animal Disease and Diagnostic Lab (ADDL) at 765-494-7440 and ask the avian diagnostician on duty for testing options, submission information and charges.

## The program is made possible by:

- Indiana State Poultry Association
- USDA-APHIS-VS
- Indiana Board of Animal Health
- Purdue University ADDL

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## **T-12 Registration Form**

- □ Yes, Please mail me a postage-paid egg mailer (and **free** gift) and I will ship you a dozen eggs.
- □ Yes, I have several people interested in participating. Please contact me to set up a convenient time for a possible poultry presentation (i.e. 4-H meetings or poultry clubs) and egg collection.

Name		
Street Address		
City	State	_ Zip
Phone	E-mail	
County	Approx. # of birds on farm	_ Date

Please return to: